

Jus' Ramblin'

By
LUCILE K.
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APPARENTLY THERE is a lot of unhappiness about the new Wallace administration. For the first time voters are beginning to realize the big bond that is to be issued for roads and that since Alabama is already paying more than \$82,000,000 a day on interest alone a new bond which is set to be \$150 to \$200 million will amount to still a greater interest to be paid. At last people in Alabama are beginning to wonder how such big borrowing can ever be paid back. And to wonder if there has been a great waste as has been talked for some time now.

But I think I can guarantee

that we, the people, will not have an opportunity to vote on the highway borrow. We were not allowed to vote on it during the first Wallace administration and because we were not it is costing the State of Alabama an extra pile of money. But so long as the people do not know what is going on everything is wonderful. And as long as Alabama's former governor whoops and hollers about the federal government he is keeping the people "thinking federal" while the state is being plunged deeper and deeper in debt.

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IT HAS become very difficult for the average citizen to save for his old age. Federal and local taxes take most of the surplus from an individual's income. If the tax collectors don't get it while he is alive, they take as much of his estate as possible when he dies.

More and more older people depend on various government handouts. This is the penalty for government seeking to provide everybody with a tax-deductible ticket to ride on a political gravy train. It ultimately means the death of individual independence.

There is hope, however, that the young people who see their earnings taken for all manner of political schemes will awaken in time to vote "no" to most of the fantasies of the Congress and the press.

Some leaders in tax reform are already saying it is time to "stop, look and listen." The world has never seen such prodigal public spending as the U. S. taxpayer is asked to finance.

RECENT NEWS reports from Youngstown, Ohio, tell of pickets blocking the delivery of a truckload of vital medical supplies to a strike-bound local hospital.

Striking in hospitals is bad enough, but stopping the delivery of supplies that are needed to prevent people from dying is the same as pronouncing a death sentence on individuals who need the life-saving resources of oxygen—persons with respiratory diseases, premature babies, surgery and transfusion cases where minutes count.

Individuals have a right to quit work if they feel obliged to, but in a free country, they have no right to interfere with others who want to work.

There is little excuse for fighting wars to protect freedom in other lands if the basic right to work is not protected in our own land. Indignation at such disregard of the public welfare by unions, as shown in the Youngstown case, will force Congress to take remedial action. It must recognize the right to strike and also the right to quit work. But, it must also recognize the right of others to work unmolested and free from intimidation by pickets. Otherwise, let's not talk about a free

country.

THAT MOST worthy organization, the Future Farmers of America, will receive well-deserved recognition during the week of February 18 to 25. Writers, commentators, officials and others in all walks of life will pay tribute to one of the most important groups of young people in the country—the young people who in the years to come will bear the heavy responsibility of providing the food and fiber so sorely needed by the world.

Each year the significance of Future Farmers of America grows. The message that the young farmers of tomorrow endeavor to impart to the nation during their "Week" is simple. They seek to "improve the Public of the importance of agriculture to America, the value of good citizenship development, and the role of Future Farmers of America in this effort."

There was a time when the nation was predominantly agricultural. Raising food to eat absorbed the efforts of a majority of the people. Gradually, as agricultural technology improved, fewer and fewer people were required on the land to produce food. One farmer now feeds scores of other people.

There is one thing that the nation has moved toward—the cities where they produce all the other necessities and luxuries of our age except food.

There is only so much land; thus as population increases, those who are engaged in agriculture will bear an increasingly heavy responsibility to their fellow men. It is indeed a privilege to pay homage to the FFA.

Vacation Tips

FROM YOUR TRAVEL ASSOCIATION

High altitude or excessive heat or humidity can make more work for your heart. Plan a few days rest at the start of your holiday to give your body a chance to adjust.

Vaughan Hamm Dies In Huntsville

Jefferson Vaughan Hamm, Sr., 48, a resident of Huntsville and formerly of Elba, died Sunday after a brief illness in a Huntsville hospital. Services were at 2 P.M. Tuesday from Elba First Methodist Church. Burial was in Elba Evergreen Cemetery, Haynes Funeral Home of Elba directing.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Betty H. Hamm, a son, Jeff Hamm, Jr., and a daughter, Miss Sharon Hamm, all of Huntsville; his mother, Mrs. Willie V. Hamm, Elba; six brothers, Robert C. and Phil Hamm, both of Elba, Lotis L. Hamm, Decatur, Luther M. Hamm, Aiken, South Carolina, Wayne Hamm, Montgomery, Paul L. Hamm, Mobile, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Irene Bowers, Elba.

New Peaches Available

Two new peach varieties are now available to Central and North Alabama peach growers, reports the United States Department of Agriculture Research Service.

The new varieties are Springgold and Sentinel," explains John Bagby, Extension commercial horticulturist. "Springgold" ripens about 8 1/2 weeks before Elberta, is bright red and the flesh is yellow and firm with good flavor for an early peach. But the variety is rather susceptible to late blight.

Sentinel ripens about 4 1/2 weeks before Elberta and a few days later than Coronet. Trees are vigorous and productive with good resistance to bacterial spot. The fruit is freestone when fully mature. The flesh is yellow and firm with good flavor and texture.

Both varieties have been tested at the Chilton Area Horticultural Substation.

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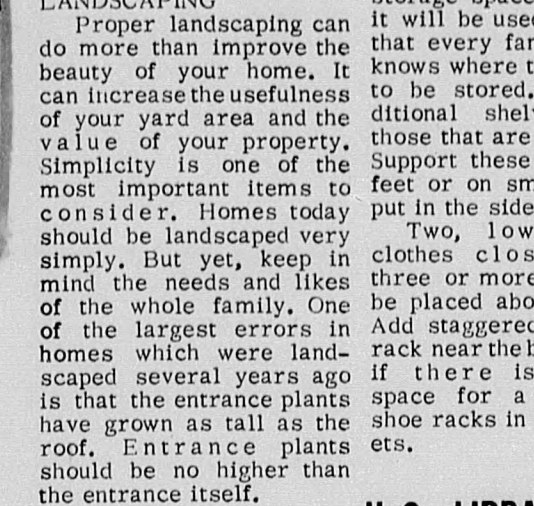
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COFFEE NEWS & CHAT

BY: SARA HUTCHISON



LANDSCAPING

Proper landscaping can do more than improve the beauty of your home. It can increase the usefulness of your yard area and the value of your property. Simplicity is one of the most important items to consider. Homes today should be landscaped very simply. But yet, keep in mind the needs and likes of the whole family. One of the largest errors in homes which were landscaped several years ago is that the entrance plants have grown as tall as the roof. Entrance plants should be no higher than the entrance itself.

storage space near where it will be used. Make sure that every family member knows where the items are to be stored. Set in additional shelves between those that are too far apart. Support these on their own feet or on small brackets put in the side wall.

Two, lower rods in clothes closets so that three or more shelves can be placed above the rods. Add staggered hooks on a rack near the back entrance if there is insufficient space for a closet. Add shoe racks in clothes closets.

Libraries are no longer just places to come into out of the rain. The Catholic Digest states, "The hunger for knowledge has never been greater, nor have the needs of our libraries. Stuffed for cash, they have been limping along having the standards of Andrew Carnegie's day in the Space Age."

Librarians say the nation needs at least 390 million more books to bolster the present library stock of 600 million books, and an additional 100,000 trained people to staff the system. There are only 70,000 librarians on the job now. Without more materials and more help, they think libraries will soon prove unable to meet the new challenges.

Public-school libraries are most in need of improvement. 80% of the shortages are found in their facilities. But estimates show that 73% of four-year colleges and 69% of public libraries fall to meet minimum book requirements.

STORAGE SPACE

Five homemakers have requested help this past month on suggestions for storage space. Perhaps you are also needing extra

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TENSION

Tension may need attention. Some tension is inevitable, and sometimes people suffer from it. Fears that disturb the orderly functioning of the mind also upset emotional and bodily processes.

Physical symptoms appear in forms including more rapid heart beat and tremulous muscles, indigestion, irritability, weakness, pain, and a sensation of tightness result from the inability to cope with a distressing tension. Much of this tension can be controlled by following a healthful routine of work, exercise, rest and proper diet.

Persons exposed to situations which engender fear and anxiety should add these situations as much as possible. There are situations one cannot escape, and prevention of tension is not always possible. In such a case, a person does well to seek a counteracting relaxation.

Factors conducive to relaxation vary with the individual who should select those suitable to his makeup, physique, interest and opportunity. Exercise, hobbies, entertainment, reading, joining a social group, and travel are among the suggestions that may be helpful.

For the individual who comes to his family doctor for aid in getting rid of tension, there are several types of treatment to be suggested. Sedatives, psychology, and psychiatry have their special qualities as aids in the relief of the overly tense patient.

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Kett, Adelle Archer, Grace McWaters, Martha Jean Walker, Otis R. Flowers, Florence Bowden, Frazier Harper, Pat Taylor, Tony Galloun, Winston Brunson, Vincie Carpenter, Evelyn Johnson, Randolph Rushing, Cathy Cooper, Maxwell Henderson, George Keltner, Mattie Lou Johnson, Brenda Faye Flowers, Leslie Pope.

Persons discharged during the same period of time were the following: E. A. Grimes, Willie P. Hall, Frances Davis, Kate Hudson, James T. Norsworthy, Sarah Macon, Kenneth Compton, Helen Mixon, Fred Culver, Grace Kilecase, Robert Douglas Easters, Jesse Robinson, Texie Farris, Q. P. Boswell, Emma Crocker, Mavis P. Boutwell, Dennis Lawford, Maylene Stamm, Kathy Kemp, Charlie Northey, Robert L. Cooper, Gayle Burkett, Adelle Archer, Winston Brunson, Kimberly Flowers, Doris Hutchison, Trude Jackson, Mattie Lou Johnson, Arthur Goodson, June Jackson, Lela Simpson, John F. Kendrick, Mark Wilson, Butch Flowers, George Keltner, John Sasser.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY, MARY — Mary Collier, pictured in upper right hand corner, celebrated her 12th birthday on January 27th, when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lamar Collier, entertained at a pizza supper and spend the night party with several of her friends as guests. The group enjoyed a performance of the Elba Little Theatre after the pizza supper. Following the play, ice cream and birthday cake were served. The cake featured 12 candles. Darning about the guests enjoyed recordings of Italian Opera.

Young guests included nine of Mary's friends. They are pictured from left and going around the table: Cheryl Boswell, Pam Davis, Cindy Stokes, Beth Proctor, Henrietta Gaines, Becky Harrison, Mary Collier, the honoree, Debbie Holloway, Debbie Bowers, and Vicky Grantham.

First Baptist Study Club Met Thursday With YWA Girls Hold Meeting

The Elba First Baptist YWA's met for the first meeting of the month of February Wednesday night, February 1, at the home of Marilyn Taylor. Barbara Miles called the meeting to order and Judy Miles gave the program.

Members present were: La Wana Hocutt, Judy Miles, Barbara Miles, Cheryl Devane, Nina Rowe, Jackie Shellgrove, Marilyn Taylor, and Gloria Thomas. The leader was Mrs. Elmer Taylor.

The next meeting during "Focus Week" will be held February 15 at the home of Gloria Thomas.

Mrs. P. G. Mathis, Mrs. J. M. Buchanan, and Mrs. James English were the hosts. The study club met at the home of Mrs. P. G. Mathis, 2, at the home of Mrs. Mathis.

The hostesses served a salad plate with dessert and coffee.

The president, Mrs. J. W. Kendrick, called the meeting to order and announced that the program would precede the business session.

During the brief business session, officers and committees made routine reports.

The president read a

Todd Whittaker Honored On First Birthday

Todd Allen Whittaker, son of Specialist 6 and Mrs. Harold R. Whittaker, celebrated his first birthday on January 29, 1967. Todd and Mrs. Whittaker are residing in New Brockton, while Specialist Whittaker is completing a tour of duty in Viet Nam.



TODD ALLEN WHITTAKER

A birthday dinner was given Todd, with members of the family attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Pe-trey, of Ozark, spent Sunday, January 29, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Buddy) Minder, of New Brockton, and the late Mrs. L. D. Whittaker.

Todd is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sawyer, of New Brockton, and Mr. L. D. Whittaker, of Route 2, New Brockton, and the late Mrs. L. D. Whittaker.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Burkett, of Troy, and Mrs. Emily Head, of Troy, who are also recent guests in the home of the Robert Minder.

Philip Burkett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Burkett, spent Thursday, Friday 26, 27 and 28, in Elba.

Philip is stationed at Maxwell Air Force Base in Montgomery.

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Mrs. Wilkes Celebrates Birthday

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Those present were: her seven daughters, Hazel Jackson, Grace Stevens, Agnes Chancellor, Midge Johnson, Nell Wilson, Wayne Rugg and Shirley Dean; four sons-in-law, Sidney Stevens, Clemmie Chancellor, Paul Rugg and Durl Dean; six grandchildren, Nedra Sheffield, June Brown, Billy and Dennis Dean and Paula and Pam Rugg; three great-grandchildren, Tony and Tim Brown and Kellie Sheffield; and the Reverend and Mrs. Albert Churchill.

BWC Meets With Mrs. Boswell

The Gussie Hutchison BWC met on February 6 in the home of Mrs. Carolyn Boswell. Lucille Devane, circle chairman, called the meeting to order and conducted a business session.

Carolyn Boswell gave the devotion and Sara Rainer led the prayer.

The Mission Study was given by Corrine Lowery from a current Mission book.

Delicious refreshments were served to seven members.

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Mr. and Mrs. Beard have two children. Their daughter, Mrs. Joey J. Adams, lives in Panama City where her husband is a Sergeant in the Air Force. Their son, Gerald C. Beard, is stationed at Jacksonville, Florida, is with the United States Navy in the Medical Corp. Mr. Beard's daughter by a previous marriage, Mrs. Alta Lee Roy, of Talledega, Alabama, died just before Christmas. They have three grandchildren.

Beard was born in Elba and has a number of relatives here yet. His parents were Jeff Beard and Mattie Windham Beard and his only aunt in this area is Mrs. Emma Windham of Route 4. He is also a cousin to Mrs. A. R. Wilson.

SEMINARS PLANNED BY METHODIST

The Andalusia District Seminars, Team on "A New Day in Christian Education" will direct six seminars for will be held at the Samson Methodist Church on Monday, February 20, from 8:00 to 8:30 P.M. The W. C. Cumble, of Andalusia, will participate in the use of the adult studies for April, "Preparing For A New Day." Persons who have leadership responsibility with adults in the local church are urged to participate in one of the seminars.

Members of the District Team who will share responsibility for the seminars are: Reverend Lee R. Spencer, Reverend James T. Ross and Mrs. J. C. Cumble, of Andalusia; Mrs. J. C. Hamilton, of Evergreen; Mr. Lewis V. Chesser, of Red Level; Reverend Stephen Dill and Reverend Malcolm L. Roberts, of Brewton; Reverend A. E. Howington, of Monroe; and Reverend Walton Ridge, of Darlington, and Piney Grove.

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- TRACT 3 contains 80 acres of land in cultivation and 80 acres in woodland.
- TRACT 3: The SE 1/4, and the 3 1/2 of SW 1/4, and all that part of the NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, lying and being on the east side of Lightwood Knot Creek in Section 26; All that part of the NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, lying and being on the east side of Lightwood Knot Creek, the same being a small piece of land in the southeast corner of the said tract, and all that part of the SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, lying and being on the east side of Lightwood Knot Creek, the same being 11 acres, more or less, Section 27; and 3 acres in the northeast corner of NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, the same being all that part of the said forty lying on the east side of Lightwood Knot Creek, Section 34, and the E 1/2 of NE 1/4, and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, and 15 acres lying and being in the northeast corner of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 35, all in Township 6 North of Range 18, East of St. Stephens' Meridian, Crenshaw County, Alabama, and containing in all 428 acres, more or less.
- Subject to reservation of 1/2 minerals by prior owner as to the SE 1/4 and E 1/2 of SW 1/4, Section 26, Township 6, Range 18.
- ALSO, the W 1/2 of the NE 1/4 and the E 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 35, Township 6 North of Range 18 East, containing 160 acres, more or less, containing in the aggregate 588 acres, more or less.
- TRACT 3 contains 100 acres of land in cultivation; 275 acres permanent pasture, in Coastal Bermuda and Bahia grass; and 213 acres timber land.
- The owner hereof expressly and absolutely reserves the right to reject or accept any and all bids offered on the sale date for any or all of the above described property.
- If interested in prior appraisal of the above described property contact Elmer Bryan, at Bryan's Store, Route 2, Elba, Alabama, Telephone No. 897-6883, or G. A. Lindsey, P. O. Box 327, Elba, Alabama, Telephone No. 897-6129.

Federal Income Tax Booklet Available

"Your Federal Income Tax," a 160-page booklet on Federal taxes, is now available at Internal Revenue Service offices throughout Alabama, according to A. J. O'Donnell, Jr., District Director of Internal Revenue.

The booklet covers in detail the Federal income tax laws as they apply to individuals. It contains many examples to illustrate application of the laws to actual situations.

Mr. O'Donnell said the material is especially helpful to Alabama taxpayers who have unusual tax situations, or for those faced with a new tax problem for the first time. Check lists of taxable and non-taxable income, and of allowable and non-allowable deductions are included. A detailed index helps pin-point answers to tax problems.

A special feature in the booklet is the sample filled-in tax return, Form 1040, keyed to pages in the booklet where explanations can be found for the entries on the return.

The booklet may also be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20540. The price is 50 cents but subject to change.

Harbuck Receives Medal At Air Force Base

Technical Sergeant William D. Harbuck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady L. Harbuck, of Route 1, New Brockton, Alabama, has been decorated with the Air Force Meritorious Achievement Medal at McConnell AFB, Kansas.

Sergeant Harbuck, an aircraft instrument technician, was awarded the medal for meritorious service while on duty in Southeast Asia.

The sergeant is now at McConnell as a member of Tactical Air Command which provides combat reconnaissance, aerial fire support, and aerial lift for U. S. Army forces.

A graduate of Enterprise High School, he received his diploma in 1954 from Alverton-Draughton Business College in Birmingham, Alabama.

Bow And Arrow Turkey Hunting Legal

Conservation Director Claude D. Kelley announced recently that the taking of wild turkeys with bow and arrow (except crossbow) will be legal on all state game management areas during the spring gobbler hunting season. The season will run from March 20 to April 25.

Kelley issued a regulation concerning the upcoming season to "clear up some confusion in the matter."

The regulation pointed out that hunters using bow and arrow will be subject to the same hunting hours as gun hunters. Hunting hours will be from day-light until sunset.

Charles Kelley, Chief of the Game and Fish Division, said, "The increased interest in bow and arrow hunting over Alabama prompted the Department of Conservation to open the management areas to this type of hunting."

Edward S. Farish, Chief Enforcement Officer of the Game and Fish Division, emphasized that crossbows are strictly prohibited in the taking of any game.

The bag limit on turkeys is one per day and five during the combined spring and fall seasons.

College Basketball To Be Played In New Brockton

Junior college basketball will come to New Brockton on Saturday, February 11. The Enterprise State Junior College Boll Weevils are scheduled to meet the Patrick Henry Patriots of Monroeville in the high school gymnasium at 8 P.M.

It is only fitting that the Boll Weevils play at least one home game at New Brockton, Coach J. H. Hinton observed, since New Brockton supplied the junior college with three members of the starting team. The three are Eddie Kelley, Terry Smith and Larry Lewis.

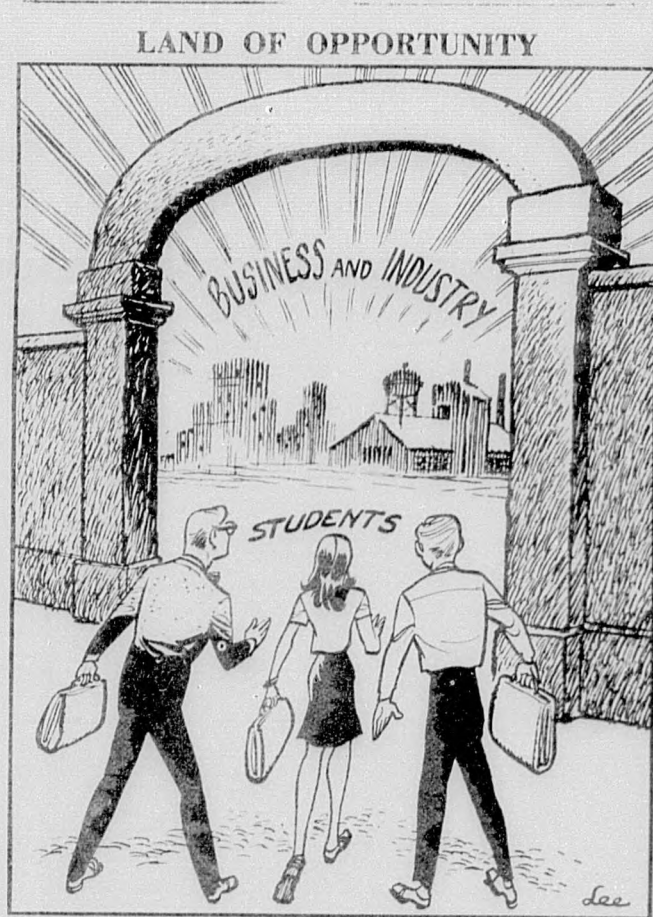
Larry plays guard for the Boll Weevils, and Eddie and Terry, forward.

The Boll Weevils, who started the season against some of the top junior college teams in the Southeast, are looking much better now that they are playing in their own conference. They have won the last five out of six games and are in second place in the Southern division of the Alabama junior college conference.

College Night Planned At Montevallo

College night, the "granddaddy" of all student traditions at Alabama College, will be staged on the Montevallo campus Thursday through Saturday, February 23-25.

The homecoming will be held on Saturday, February 25, in conjunction with college night. A full slate of activities is planned for former students attending.



STUDENT-INDUSTRY DIALOGUE

In today's changing world the student who wants to make his dreams become a reality should be made aware of how industry is doing just that for millions of Americans.

We are in an era of technological development. Industry requires young people with broad vision, great human energy and with the wisdom necessary to deal with an ever-changing world. The student who is liable to contribute new ideas, new efforts, new concepts is the one industry is seeking. Industry is striving to close the communication gap, and show students the great opportunities and challenges to be found in the business world.

Dr. R. Franklin Thompson, president, University of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Washington, said recently "that industry has become more alert to the practical use of ideas. When photography was first discovered, it was almost a century before it became a practical industry. In contrast, recently, when the transistor was researched, within a decade it was a seven million dollar business."

Dr. Thompson continued: "American business is far from being the soulless, heartless, money-grabbing institution it is sometimes pictured to be. This year over seven hundred million dollars in corporate profits will be spent for the public good, over one-half of which will aid schools and colleges."

Today creation of new industries, expansion of present old industries, and the continuing parade of technological changes provide challenges the student faces as he seeks to find his place in this new world.

Industry is helping in this challenge.

Poultry Good For Any Occasion It's Good

From gourmet banquets to school lunches and picnics, nothing fits the occasion so well as poultry.

"Not only is poultry one of the most versatile meats on the market today, but it is also the most economical source of high quality protein and essential vitamins and minerals," says Extension Consumer Education Specialist Dorothy Overbey. "Dollars for dollars, the broiler-fryer gives the homemaker more value nutritionally than the next dozen or so popular meats."

It's no wonder that new records are being established this year in poultry consumption. Per capita consumption is estimated at 44 pounds, twice as much as 20 years ago, according to Miss Overbey. seroles, it can't be beat. It is adaptable to your specialist attributes the every whim and a credit rise in poultry consumption to your judgment when you not only to a decrease in price — from 55 cents a Delicious, nutritious, versatile in 1950 to 39 cents a pound — but also to call, poultry certainly the homemaker's in-cresased awareness of the place in every diet."

Cook to Head United Fund

For the third time one corporation has loaned its chief executive to serve as national chairman of the United Community Campaigns of America. He is C. W. Cook, chairman and chief executive of General Foods Corporation.

Mr. Cook succeeds Milton C. Mumford, chairman of the board, Lever Brothers Company. The more than 2,000 United Fund and Community Chest campaigns enlist national support from business, labor, government, media and the professions in behalf of voluntary health and welfare services.

Dick Flick Chevrolet OK Used Car & Truck MERCHANDISING CENTER

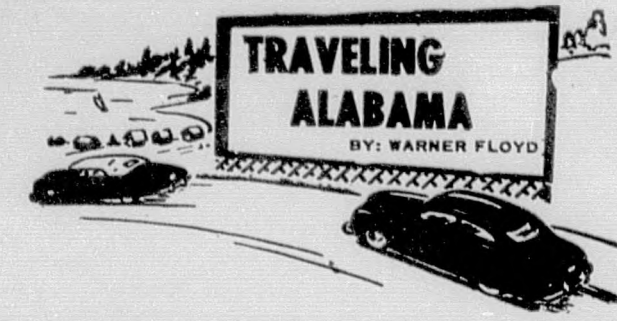
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- 1966
- 197A — FORD GALAXIE 500 (4-Dr., HT, 4-Speed) \$2795
- 150A — CHEVROLET IMPALA COUPE (AT, P/S, R&H) \$2695
- 332A — CHEVLE SS 396 (4-Speed, R&H) \$2445
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- 273A — CHEV II NOVA (4-Door, ST, R&H) \$1495
- 172A — VOLKSWAGON SEDAN (R&H) \$1395
- 153A — RAMBLER STATION WAGON (4-Door, AT, R&H) \$1495
- 188A — CHEVROLET IMPALA SS (4-Speed, R&H) \$2295
- 304A — FAIRLANE 500 (4-Door, AT, A/C, R&H) \$1495
- 369A — CHEVROLET IMPALA COUPE (AT, P/S, P/B, R&H) \$2195
- 1964
- 1053A — TEMPEST GTO (4-Speed, Bucket Seats) \$1595
- 1963
- 284A — FORD FAIRLANE 500 (AT, A/C, R&H) \$1295
- 320A — CHEVROLET IMPALA SS CONV. (AT, R&H) \$1395
- 1962
- 311A — CHEVROLET IMPALA COUPE (AT, P/S, P/B, R&H) \$1195
- 122B — CORVAIR 700 (4-Door, ST, R&H) \$ 495
- 1960
- 306A — CORVAIR MONZA (ST, R&H) \$ 495
- 359A — CORVETTE COUPE (AT, R&H) \$ 895

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- 271A — CHEVROLET 1/2 TON PICKUP (Tu/Tone, H) \$1795
- 1963
- 364A — CHEVROLET 1/2 TON PICKUP \$1195
- 1957
- 223A — FORD 1/2 TON PICKUP \$ 375
- "WE NEED USED CARS!"



POOR ORIGINAL



Parker Assigned To Benning Training Center

WOI John B. Parker has been assigned to the Property Book Officer, S-4, Headquarters, 3rd Brigade, U. S. Army Training Center, Infantry.

The Training Center was established at Fort Benning September 15, 1965, and since December 1965 has graduated an average of 1,400 men weekly from Basic Combat Training. The 3rd Brigade was formed in March 1966.

During his eight weeks at the Center, the recruit is taught the basic fundamentals of soldiering — hand-to-hand combat, rifle marksmanship, first aid and many other subjects — all compressed into 324 hours of strenuous activity, designed to prepare him physically and mentally for his future assignment to a Regular Army unit.

Warrant Officer Parker, a graduate of Kinston High School, Kinston, Alabama, received a direct warrant December 20, 1966, while serving at Fort Rucker, Alabama. Prior duty stations have included a tour in Baumholder, Germany, with the 8th Infantry Division.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker, Route 4, Elba, Alabama, he entered the Army in 1956 at Fort Jackson, South Carolina. He is married to the former Lou Ann Wallace, daughter of Mrs. Lucile Thorn, 204 Monroe Street, Opp, Alabama.

A rushing stream roared through Hurricane Creek Park for millions of years, cutting away 1,000 feet of massive Alabama rock to form a gorge with cliffs and canyon.

This 80-acre site is one of the nation's most accessible natural areas with no winding roads and twisting turns to discourage your visit. Just top a ridge seven miles north of Cullman or 22 miles south of Decatur on wide four-lane U. S. 31 and the unspoiled park comes into view.

Most visitors like to survey the mountain woodland area from the sturdy observation platform near the park's entrance. Then they take the main hiking trail which leads over the top of a waterfall and through hundreds of primitive rock, tree, plant and stream attractions.

The hand-hewn trail takes you by several lookout points, down the bluff on a corkscrew stairway and across a swinging bridge which spans the swirling stream.

Mountain laurel, dogwood, fern, and umbrella trees cover the canyon's floor and cling to crevices in the steep bluff.

Even the names of prominent points in Hurricane Creek Park have a magic ring. Devil's Staircase, Twilight Tunnel, Hanging Tree, Kissing Rock and Daylight Cave are examples.

Off the beaten path, this cave is really a crack in a giant boulder probably splintered by an earthquake. A side trail follows the crack for 100 feet through solid rock. Sunlight streams in like a beacon from a small opening 50 feet above the covered

Elementary School Menu

The Elba Elementary School announces the following menu for the week of February 13 thru February 17, 1967:

MONDAY: Texas Hash, Mashed Potatoes, Tossed Salad, Applesauce, Cookie, Bread, Milk.

TUESDAY: Pea Beans, Tomato Cup, Cheese Slice, Onion Slice, Peach Cobbler Pie, Cornbread, Milk.

WEDNESDAY: Barbecue Chicken, Garden Peas with Whole Potatoes, Cakes — Grapefruit Cup, Bread, Milk.

THURSDAY: Hamburger on Bun, Slaw — Dill Pickles — Onions, Green Beans, Banana Pudding, Milk.

FRIDAY: Chicken Wiggle, Green Lima's, Lettuce, Pineapple, Coconut Salad, Brownies with Peanut Butter, Bread, Milk.

A good way to store peanuts while they are fresh is to shell and freeze the raw nut meats.

YOUR DOCTOR and PHARMACIST

Both your Doctor and your Pharmacist are engaged in similar endeavors... to alleviate suffering, and work for better community health.

We consider it a privilege to be a member of this health team for your welfare.

When your doctor prescribes, bring your prescription to us.

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YOUR Family PHARMACY



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- FRESH & LEAN
- PORK STEAK LB. 48¢
- USDA INSPECTED FRESH FRYER
- LEG QUARTERS LB. 36¢
- USDA INSPECTED FRESH FRYER (LB.)
- BREAST QUARTERS 36¢
- SUNNYLAND PICNIC
- WIENERS 2 LB. PKG. 98¢
- SUNNYLAND ECONOMY SMOKED
- SAUSAGE 2 LB. PKG. 98¢
- TENDER SLICED
- BEEF LIVER LB. 48¢

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- DISCOUNT SPECIAL
- KELLOGG'S
- CORN FLAKES 8-OZ. BOX 17¢
- DISCOUNT SPECIAL
- HALF GALLON PLASTIC JUG
- CLOROX FOR ONLY 27¢
- DISCOUNT SPECIAL
- PERSONAL DOUBLE EDGE (reg. \$1.20 value)
- Stainless Steel BLADES 76¢
- DISCOUNT SPECIAL
- HUNT'S HALVED or SLICED
- PEACHES NO. 300 CANS FOR 17¢



Are you nearing age 65? If so, it is time to think about your social security benefits and what you have to do to get them — especially medicare, according to Harry N. Scott, district manager for social security in Dothan.

Medicare consists of two kinds of protection — hospital insurance and medical insurance which pays doctor bills. You get the basic hospital insurance as soon as you reach 65, whether or not you apply. But your doctor bill

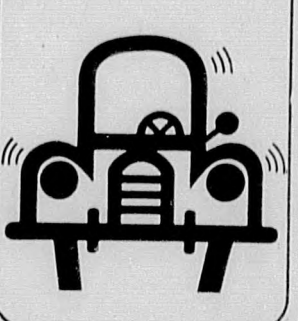
insurance will not begin with the month you reach 65 unless you apply for it during the 3-month period just before the month of your 65th birthday. If you sign up in the month of your birthday or in the following 3 months, you will have to wait for one to three months for your protection to begin, and if you delay beyond that, your next chance to enroll will not come until October 1967.

If you have already applied for social security or railroad retirement benefits, you will receive automatic notification to enroll for the doctor bill insurance. Your hospital insurance protection will begin automatically the month you reach 65. But, if you have not applied for your monthly cash benefits under social security, you should get in touch with your social security office promptly. Unlike social security cash benefits, you do not have to be retired in order to qualify for medicare.

People who are working or who cannot for other reasons visit their district office can start the application process by phone or letter. The social security office can assist you with the application and answer any other questions you may have. The address is Federal Building, 100 West Troy Street, Dothan, The telephone number is 794-3161. Regular office hours are from 8:45 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, but as an added convenience for those who may work during the week, the office is also open from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon on Saturdays, except legal holidays.

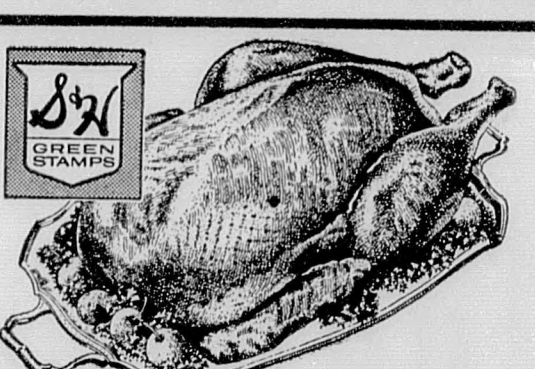
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- SEA-PAK FROZEN
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- SEA-PAK FROZEN BREADED
- PERCH STEAKS 16 LB. PKG. 88¢
- SEA-PAK FROZEN
- BREADED SCALLOPS 7-OZ. PKG. 47¢
- PRODUCE DEPARTMENT
- DISCOUNT SPECIAL
- ROUND WHITE
- POTATOES 10 LB. BAG 48¢
- FRESH & CRISP
- CELERY STALK 15¢
- FRESH CRISP
- RADISHES 8¢
- FRESH FLORIDA
- ORANGES CELLO PKG. 37¢
- ENJOY THE VERI-BEST PRODUCE
- DISCOUNT SPECIALS

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- ICE MILK HALF GAL. CARTON 48¢
- 1 LB. BOX
- PRIDE SALTINES FOR 22¢
- WITH BEANS
- POSS' CHILI 16 OUNCE CAN FOR 27¢
- YELLOW ROSE
- ENRICHED FLOUR 5 LB. BAG 48¢
- DUNCAN HINES CAKE MIXES 32¢
- CAMPBELL (16-OZ. CAN) 14¢
- WHITE, YELLOW AND LEMON
- STOKELY TOMATO JUICE 46 OZ. CAN 32¢
- DEL MONTE BUFFET CAN 7¢
- DEL MONTE CUT GREEN BEANS 303 CAN 22¢
- SCOTTIE FACIAL TISSUE 200 CT. BOX 27¢
- WHITE AND ASSORTED

- DAIRY DEPARTMENT
- DISCOUNT SPECIAL
- COUNTRY STYLE
- PATTIE OLEO 8-OZ. SIZE 9¢
- KRAFT
- AMERICAN CHEESE SINGLES 12 OZ. PKG. 54¢
- CURRIER & IVES
- WATER GLASSES 58¢
- 6 - 11 OUNCE GLASSES FOR ONLY

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General Oden To Speak At Meeting

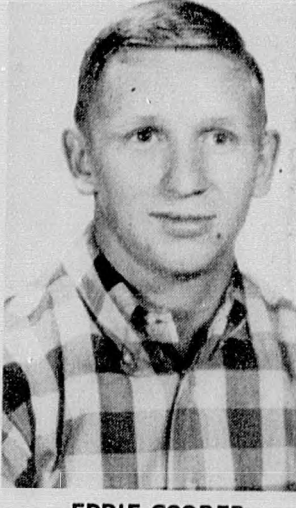
Major General Delk M. Oden, who will assume command of Fort Rucker this month, will be the principal speaker at a joint meeting March 2 of the Association of the United States Army and Army Aviation Association of America.

The meeting will be held at the Fort Rucker NCO Club, with a social hour at 6:30 P.M. and dinner at 7:30 P.M.

Colonel (Ret.) Edward McMaken of Ozark, Alabama, president of AAAA, will preside, with brief business sessions to be conducted by him and Glen Heath of Enterprise, Alabama, president of AUSA.

Tickets for the meeting are on sale at the Chambers of Commerce in the surrounding communities and at the major units at Fort Rucker.

MG Oden, now director of Officer Personnel, Office of Personnel Operations, Department of the Army, will become Fort Rucker's commanding general February 24. He succeeds Major General John J. Tolson, who leaves for an assignment in Vietnam.



County School Board Gets Federal Funds

Senator Lister Hill and Congressman George Andrews announced this week that a U. S. Treasury check in the amount of \$32,754 should reach the Coffee County Board of Education in the next week.

The payment is being made under the law which provides financial assistance to schools burdened with federally connected enrollments.

Morrow Is Promoted By Air Force

Levey P. Morrow, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Levey P. Morrow, Sr., and son-in-law of Sheriff and Mrs. H. D. Tillman, was recently promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the U. S. Air Force.

Morrow is married to the former Doris Tillman, is a veteran of 17 years in the Air Force and is stationed at Bedford, Massachusetts. He and his wife have two children, Buddy, age 11, and Dixie, age 9.



ESSAY AWARD — Miss Nancy Brock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brock, is shown receiving an engraved plaque recognizing the excellence of a recent essay she wrote in a Lion's Club sponsored contest. Presenting the plaque and a cash award is Elba Lion's Club president John W. Sharpless.

Elba Band Students Honored

Two Elba High band students were honored last Saturday by being selected to play in the All-State Bands at the University of Alabama this spring.

Eddie Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cooper, placed second in the district with his trumpet and will play in the Red Band.

Lavanna Hocutt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hocutt, is alternate with her clarinet.

Both students will go to Tuscaloosa during AEA holidays and compete with students from all over the state for further honors.

Health Agency Committees Announced

Standing committees for the Coffee County Health Agency were named this week by Elmer Taylor, chairman of the organization.

Committee assignments were as follows:

Public Relations and Publicity Committee: Roy Shoffner, chairman, Mrs. Grace Ebert, Judge J. O. English, O. Z. Vickers.

Medical Advisory Committee: Dr. C. D. McLeod, chairman, Dr. Emmett T. Brunson, Dr. J. M. Kimme.

Membership and Orientation Committee: Mrs. Glenda Spann, chairman, Mrs. Jane Rudees, Mrs. Bobby Triplett.

Supplies and Transportation Committee: Nigel Hurst, chairman, Mrs. Sara Lott, Mrs. Margaret Halre, B. F. Garth, Jim Rollins.

Nominating Committee: Mrs. Clarice Gunter, chairman, Mrs. William Oggs, C. E. Peacock, Lister Brunson, Mrs. Joe Pittman.

Constitution and By-Laws Committee: Mrs. Glenda Spann, chairman, B. F. Garth, Dr. Emmett T. Brunson.

The Home Health Agency is designed to keep informed about trends in home health nursing, to learn of equipment available for rent and for loan in the area, to recommend medical and nursing policies and to keep the public informed of the available services and how they may be secured.

TIGERS WIN BIG OVER HARTFORD

Elba won the Bee game 60-34.

SUPPORT THE ELBA RESCUE SQUAD

Elba won the Bee game 60-34.



Beta Club To Sponsor Heart Campaign

The Elba High School Beta Club will serve as Campaign Chairman of the 1967 Heart Fund Campaign in Elba, it was announced recently by Lamar Foley, Principal of Elba High School. The campaign will be conducted February 24 and 25 and will have a goal of \$1,000.00.

The Heart Fund volunteers who ring your doorbell February 24 or 25 deserve to be greeted with a smile, a warm handshake and a generous contribution.

In a sense, they are working for you, and over the years their services — combined with those of millions of other volunteers — have helped to save thousands of lives.

They are fully entitled to share with medical science the credit for dramatic advances achieved over the past 15 years in the fight against heart and blood vessel diseases.

To be sure, these spectacular gains were achieved by the scientists. But never forget that much of this research activity was underwritten by dollars which they and others like them so laboriously collected.

So give generously. Put out the welcome mat. Make this the most successful Heart Sunday appeal in the history of our city. Give — so more will live!

NEW UNIFORMS — The ladies working at the Peoples Bank are sporting new blue uniforms this week. The uniform, furnished by the bank, will be worn by all lady employees of the bank in the future, according to President Lamm Rainer. Pictured here are cashiers Betty Lewis, Doris Bedsole, Francis Conner, Sylvia Brown and Bonnie Thomason.

Girl Scout Art Winners

Fourteen Elba Girl Scouts won ribbons for their outstanding art work in the first Girl Scout Arts Festival held in this area. Competing with Girl Scouts from Geneva, Enterprise, Vanlandingham, Geneva, Brenda Cox, Elba, Judy Kelly, Elba, Sherry Schmitz, Lori Lavender, Enterprise; Terry Kelley, Elba; Jana Brown, Elba; Cynthia Barnes, Geneva; Cynthia Seary, Enterprise; and Kim Williams, of Enterprise. Red ribbons were won by the art efforts of Jody Lavender, Enterprise; Chris Tatum, Elba; Joanne James, Enterprise; Debra Jean Kelly, Elba; and Lori Wilkerson, Enterprise. Yellow ribbons were won by Ann Martin, Elba; Beverly Cox, Elba; Alice Brunson, Elba; Roxanne Timbrook, Enterprise; Andy Radford, Enterprise; Gena Kendrick, Elba; and Marie Enterprise.

Entered in the Junior, Cadet and Senior Arts category were 220 endeavors that included water painting, photography, clay, pastels and sculpture. Blue ribbons went to Barbara Lupton, Enterprise; Troop 4405, Enterprise; Patti Vanlandingham, Geneva; Brenda Cox, Elba; Judy Kelly, Elba; Sherry Schmitz, Lori Lavender, Enterprise; Terry Kelley, Elba; Jana Brown, Elba; Cynthia Barnes, Geneva; Cynthia Seary, Enterprise; and Kim Williams, of Enterprise. Red ribbons were won by the art efforts of Jody Lavender, Enterprise; Chris Tatum, Elba; Joanne James, Enterprise; Debra Jean Kelly, Elba; and Lori Wilkerson, Enterprise. Yellow ribbons were won by Ann Martin, Elba; Beverly Cox, Elba; Alice Brunson, Elba; Roxanne Timbrook, Enterprise; Andy Radford, Enterprise; Gena Kendrick, Elba; and Marie Enterprise.



WILLIAM HEDRICK WALKER, two, shown in the arms of his father, looks as if he may be saying, "Thank you." William's life was saved when his father used mouth-to-mouth resuscitation to revive him after finding the child submerged in a filled bathtub. Bill Walker learned the lifesaving technique from a Medical Self-Help Course which is taught in all 67 counties in Alabama under the administration of the Alabama Department of Public Health. Dr. Ira L. Myers, State Health Officer, holds the familiar sign seen in all Medical Self-Help classes. Ironically, William's grandfather (left), Joe Hedrick, serves as Executive Officer of the Alabama Department of Civil Defense which is co-sponsor of the Medical Self-Help program. This month (February) Alabama joins the nation in celebrating Medical Self-Help Month.

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